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In re application of: Marshall Isman

Serial No: 08/997,142

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For: METHOD FOR ANALYZING
CAPACITY OF PARALLEL
PROCESSING SYSTEMS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 3, 1999 in connection with the above-identified application, please consider the remarks set forth below.

Date of Deposit May 6, 1999
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